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Monthly Newsletter

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President - Stephen Schmidt Vice President - Don Ashley Secretary - Pat Koppel Treasurer - Dick Jackson

The President's Dispatch

The meeting of Oct. 20th opened on time with the introduction of a guest, Trevor, who came with Chris White. I talked with him for a while late in the meeting and we hope he will join us as a member.



Don Ashley went over the rules for the club cache cover for HOLPEX 2017 and a motion was made to accept the rules. It was seconded and the members present voted in favor of the rules, which include a \$25.00 prize for the winner to be paid with club funds.

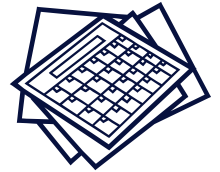
Don said Dennis Bowman is looking for two people to help him with the judging. Do we have two volunteers? We would prefer they not be from the executive board as we would like to keep the judging as non-political as possible.

Dick Jackson gave his treasurer's report and it seems that the club is in good standing financially.

Dick also gave his presentation on one page exhibits. He explained their usefulness, showed some examples and asked for at least 15 members to create one page exhibits for the club to display both at



Club Calendar



*Guests and Visitors
always Welcome!*

Nov. 17th - 7 p.m.
Monthly Meeting

KnoxPex and HOLPEX in 2017. I think it is a great idea and will be making my personal contribution to the effort. How about you?

There was a brief discussion of philatelic items being offered on-line via Craigslist. It was determined Craigslist is not the place to find quality philatelic merchandise for the club.

The list of donated books available to club members appears as an attachment to this month's newsletter. To borrow any of the books or pamphlets, please contact me by e-mail at zerogoofs@yahoo.com or by phone at (423) 573-2947.

We will be discussing club dues at the next meeting. We should also finalize plans for the Dec. 15 meeting, which will be our annual club Christmas Party. Be there or be square.

Steve



HOLPEX Cachet Envelope Rules by Don Ashley

As a reminder to members below are the rules we agreed to during the last meeting for cachet ideas for next year's HOLPEX.

1. Only current Holston Stamp Club members may submit up to three cachet designs for consideration.
2. Artwork should include HOLPEX 2017 and can be done in black and white or color.
3. Submissions must be sent to Dennis Bowman by the Dec. 2016 regular meeting. The judging will be done in Jan. and winner named at the Jan. 2017 meeting. Actual production will begin in Feb. or Mar. to have them available by May.
4. Dennis and two other committee volunteers will judge the winner solely based on first impression and effectiveness.
5. Winning envelope cachet design will be used and reproduced and will be available at the May 2017 HOLPEX show. We hope to have USPS cancel them on that date. They will be available to the public and members for only \$2.00 each.
6. Winner will get a check from Holston Stamp Club for \$25.00 and will be acknowledged in the newsletter.
7. Although no real theme is established, any submission that has a great design that could use a current 47 cent stamp to tie to some theme should be looked at as favorable. But it is completely left up to the three member judging committee.
8. An actual envelope "mock up" of the design is desired. The submission and artwork will become the property of the Holston Stamp Club for the intended use at HOLPEX 2017

Reminder to Members—We will continue with special auctions so bring your items to the Nov. meeting (a maximum of 20 per member). Please fill out the special auction sheet for your lots in advance (two copies please) and mark the lots accordingly.



Unless otherwise indicated by announcement in the newsletter, Holston Stamp Club conducts its regular meeting on the 3rd Thursday each month at 7 p.m.

Hope to C. U. there

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Monthly Treasury Report

Balance on hand Oct. 1, 2016	\$2,185.09
Total Income for Oct.	\$136.45
Auction Sales of donated items	\$136.45
Total Disbursements for Oct.	(\$33.80)
APS Circuit Book Expenses	(\$ 8.80)
APS Circuit Book Insurance	(\$25.00)
Adjustment	\$4.85
Balance on hand Oct. 31, 2016	\$2,292.59

FYI. One hundred and one lots were sold at the special auction (combination of items from members, items donated to the club and items from the club's inventory). The items sold for a total of \$435.90. Covers members bought from the club separate from the auction totaled \$43.50.

Stamp of the Month

by your Newsletter Editor

Just a couple of months ago, in September, the U. S. Postal Service for the very first time issued an official stamp for Halloween. With this being the very first Halloween-themed stamp (the *Legend of Sleepy Hollow* stamp, Scott 1548, issued in 1974 doesn't count), the USPS decided to issue four different designs. As you can see below they are four different carved pumpkins which when lit become jack o' lanterns. Lighted seasonal jack o' lanterns are very common for Halloween and jack o' lanterns with smiling faces are the most popular.



Think for a moment or two as to whether or not the U.S. Post Office or the U.S. Postal Service has ever included pumpkins in a stamp design other the 1974 stamp mentioned above for the Washington Irving story. If you know of one please tell us at the November meeting.

Books Gift from Marion, VA Friend to Holston Stamp Club

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No.	Title	Author	Pub. Date	Publisher
1.	Color Philately	R. W. White	1979	The Philatelic Foundation, N.Y.
2.	The U.S. 1¢ Stamp 1851-61	M. Neinken	1972	U.S. Phil. Classic Society, Ohio
3.	The U.S. 10¢ Stamps 1855-59	M. Neinken	1960	The Collector's Club, N.Y.
4.	Simpson's U.S. Post. Markings 1851-61	T. J. Alexander	1979	U.S. Phil. Classic Society, Ohio
5.	Foundations of Philately	W. S. Boggs	1955	Philatelic Foundation, N.Y.
6.	Fundamentals of Philately	L. N. & M. Williams	1971	A.P.S., Inc.
7.	U. S. Postage Stamps, 19th Century, Vol. I	L. G. Brookman	1966	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
8.	U. S. Postage Stamps, 19th Century, Vol. II	L. G. Brookman	1966	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
9.	U. S. Postage Stamps, 19th Century, Vol. III	L. G. Brookman	1967	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
10.	Sloane's Column	G. T. Turner	1961	Bureau Issues Association
11.	Confederate States, Postal Routes	L. L. Shenfield	1961	The Collector's Club, N.Y.
12.	Dietz Confederate States Catalog & Handbook	"Dietz"	1959	The Dietz Press, VA
13.	The U. S. 1869 Issue	F. P. Schueren	1974	The Collector's Club, N.Y.
14.	The U.S. 2¢ Red Brown, Vol. 2, 1883-87.	E. L. Willard	1970	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
15.	The U.S. 2¢ Red Brown, Vol. 2, 1883-87.	E. L. Willard	1970	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
16.	H. F. Allen Collection of Black Jacks	M.B. Lane	1969	A.P.S., Inc.
17.	History of Postage Stamps	J. K. Tiffany	1887	C. H. Mekeel, St. Louis, MO
18.	U.S. Cancellations 1845-69	H. Skinner & A. Eno	1980	A.P.S., Inc.
19.	19th Century U.S. Fancy Cancellations.	H. Herst, Jr.	1963	H. Herst, Jr., N.Y.
20.	The U.S. Postage Stamps 20th Century, Vol. 1, 1901-22.	B.S. King & M.G. Johl	1937	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
21.	The U.S. Postage Stamps 20th Century, Vol. 2, 1923-33.	B.S. King & M.G. Johl	1934	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
22.	The U.S. Postage Stamps 20th Century, Vol. 3, 1922-35.	M.G. Johl	1935	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
23.	The U.S. Postage Stamps 20th Century, Vol. 4, 1933-37.	M.G. Johl	1938	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
24.	The Stamp Specialist, Vol. 1, Part 1--1939	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1939	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
25.	The Stamp Specialist, Vol. 1, Part 2--1940	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1940	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
26.	The Stamp Specialist, Vol. 1, Part 3--1940	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1940	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
27.	The Stamp Specialist, No. Four	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1940	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
28.	The Stamp Specialist, Orange Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1941	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
29.	The Stamp Specialist, Blue Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1941	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.

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30.	The Stamp Specialist, Yellow Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1941	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
31.	The Stamp Specialist, Red Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1942	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
32.	The Stamp Specialist, Green Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1942	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
33.	The Stamp Specialist, Brown Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1943	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
34.	The Stamp Specialist, Gray Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1943	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
35.	The Stamp Specialist, Maroon Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1944	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
36.	the Stamp Specialist, White Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1944	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
37.	The Stamp Specialist, Black Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1945	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
38.	The Stamp Specialist, Coral Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1945	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
39.	The Stamp Specialist, Emerald Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1946	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
40.	The Stamp Specialist, India Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1946	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
41.	The Stamp Specialist, Mahogany Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1947	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
42.	The Stamp Specialist, Chartreuse Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1948	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
43.	The Stamp Specialist, Forest Green Book	Lindquist, H. L., ed.	1948	H. L. Lindquist, N.Y.
44.	Civil War Prisons and Their Covers	Antrim, Earl	1961	The Collector's Club, N.Y.
45.	How to Detect Damaged, Altered, & Repaired Stamps	Schmid, Paul W.	1979	Palm Press, Huntington, NY
46.	United States Coil Issues, 1906-38	Armstrong, Martin A.	1977	Martin A. Armstrong Enterprises
47.	"Washington-Franklins, 1908-21"	Armstrong, Martin A.	1979	Trenton Publ. Co., Div. of Martin A. Armstrong Enterprises
48.	US Definitive Series 1922-1938	Armstrong, Martin A.	1977	Trenton Publ. Co., Div. of Martin A. Armstrong Enterprises
49.	The Yucatan Affair	Chemi, James, M., et al, editors	1980	American Philatelic Society Inc.
50.	Confederate States of America Stampless Cover Catalog	Wishnietsky, Benjamin, ed.	1980	David G. Phillips Publ. Co., Inc.
51.	United States Telegraph Issues	Rich, Joseph & Stephen	1947	Society of Philatelic Americans

Holston Stamp Club Special Auction – Lot Owner List

Owner Name _____ Owner Initials xx _____ Please print or type.

Owner Initials xx	Lot #	Catalog # and/or Description	Catalog Value	Catalog Used	Minimum Bid \$	Winning Bidder #	Winning Bid \$
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